# Whales Along the California Coast



# **Gray Whales**







#### **Gray Whales - Mothers and Calves**





#### Orca "Killer Whales" And Great White Sharks

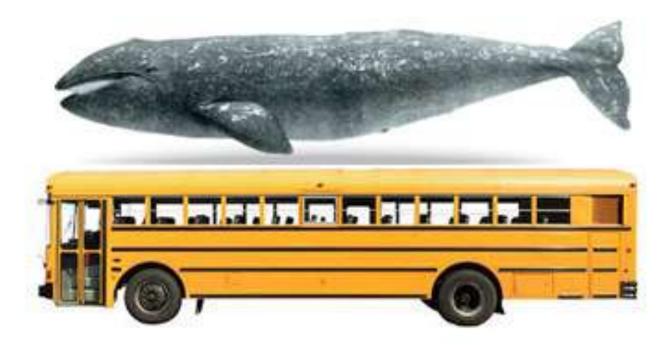


#### **Orca and Gray Whale Calf**



#### Adult Big as a Bus Newborn Big as a Car





#### **Baleen on Gray Whales**



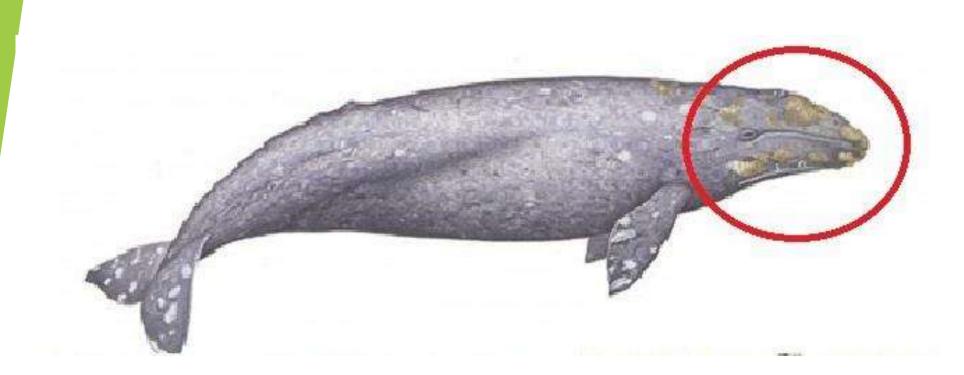


## Amphipods





#### Yellow Stuff on Gray Whale's Head



#### Yellow Stuff on Gray Whale's Head 2









## Gray Whales And Climate Change



## **Humpback Whales**





## Bumps on its Rostrum



## **Tubercles on its Rostrum**



#### Adult Bigger than a Bus



#### Humpback Coming At Ya



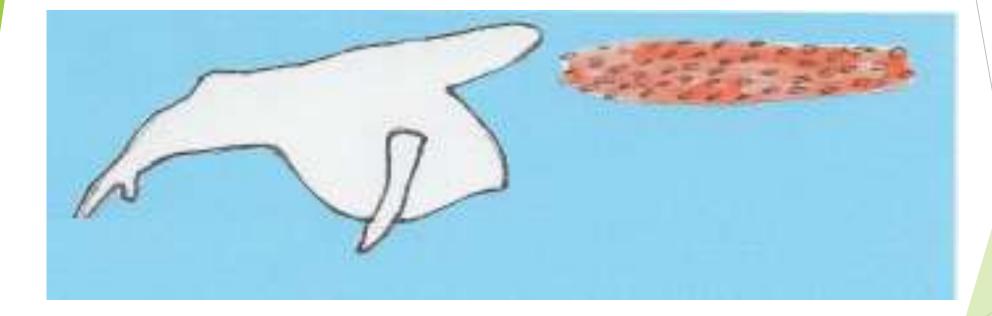
### **Baleen on Humpback Whale**



#### **Grooves on Underside of Humpback Whale**



#### Humpback Mouth Expanding To Take in Lots of Food



#### Don't talk with your mouth full.



#### **Expelling Water to Swallow the Food**

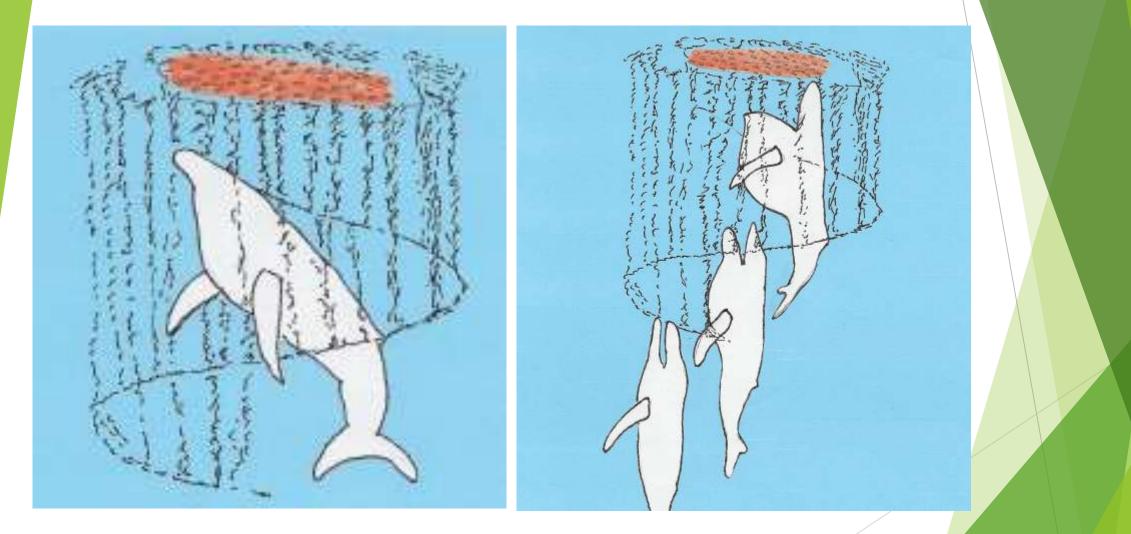








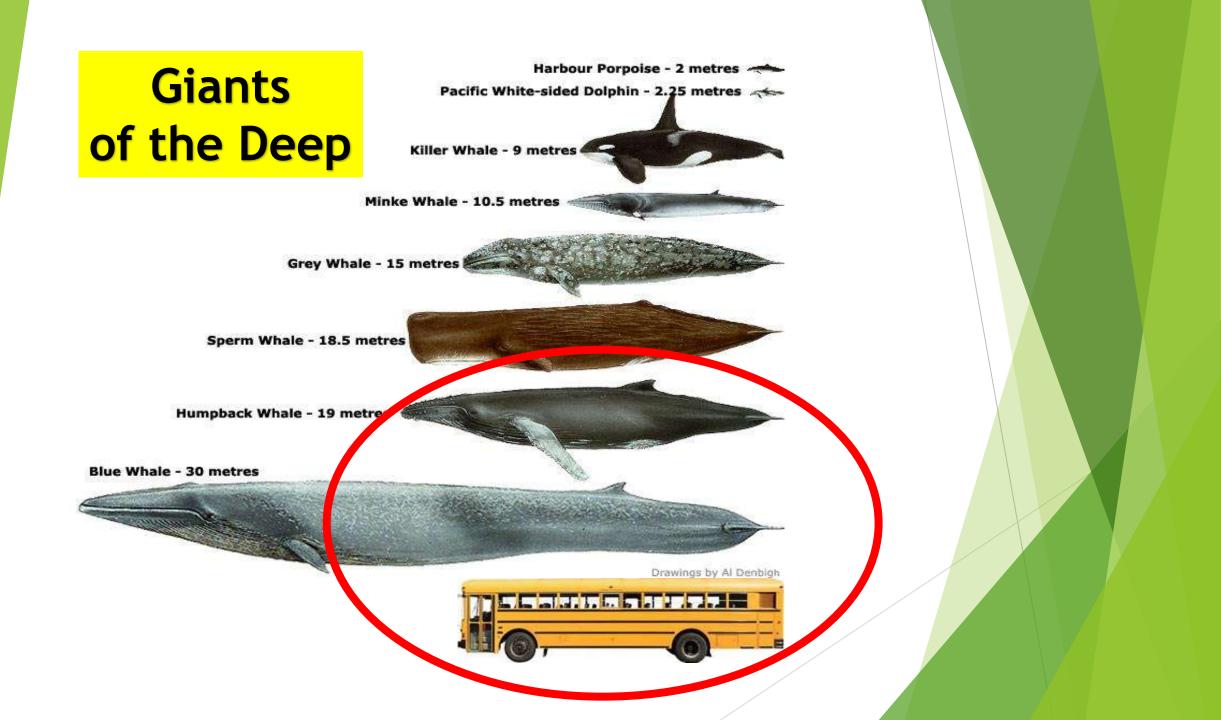
#### Humpback Whales Bubble Net Feeding

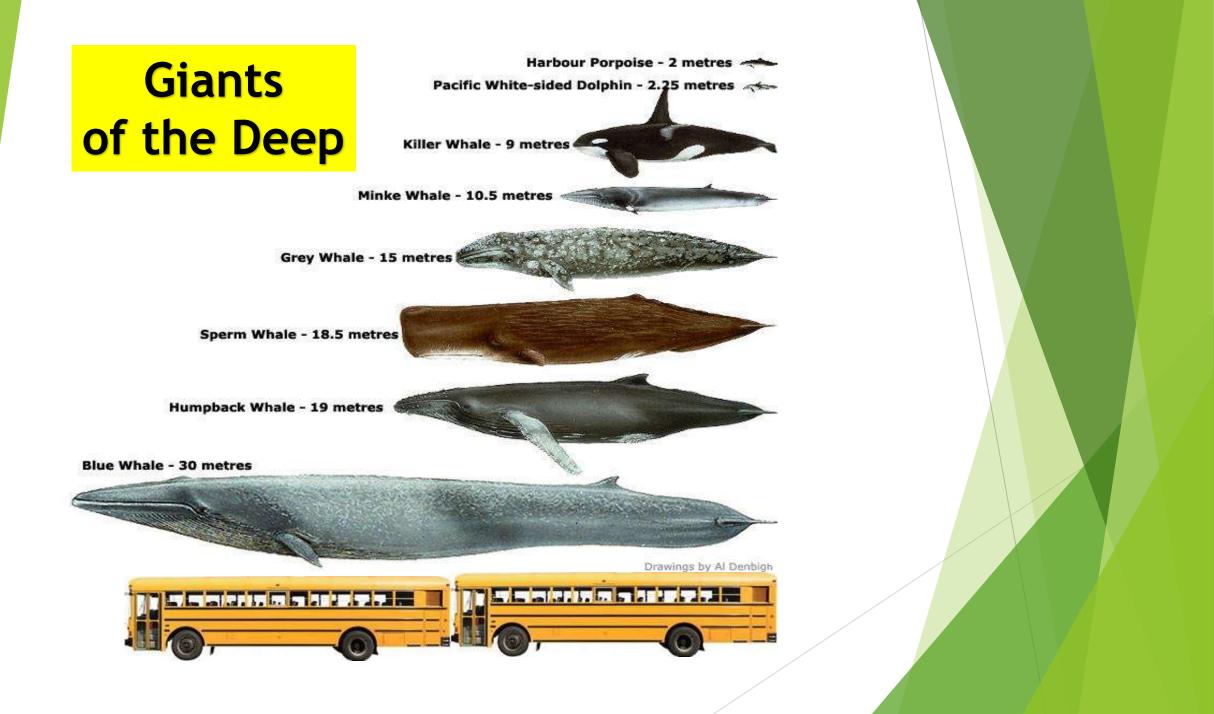




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## **Blue Whales**





#### Blue Whale vs Other Prehistoric And Contemporary Animals



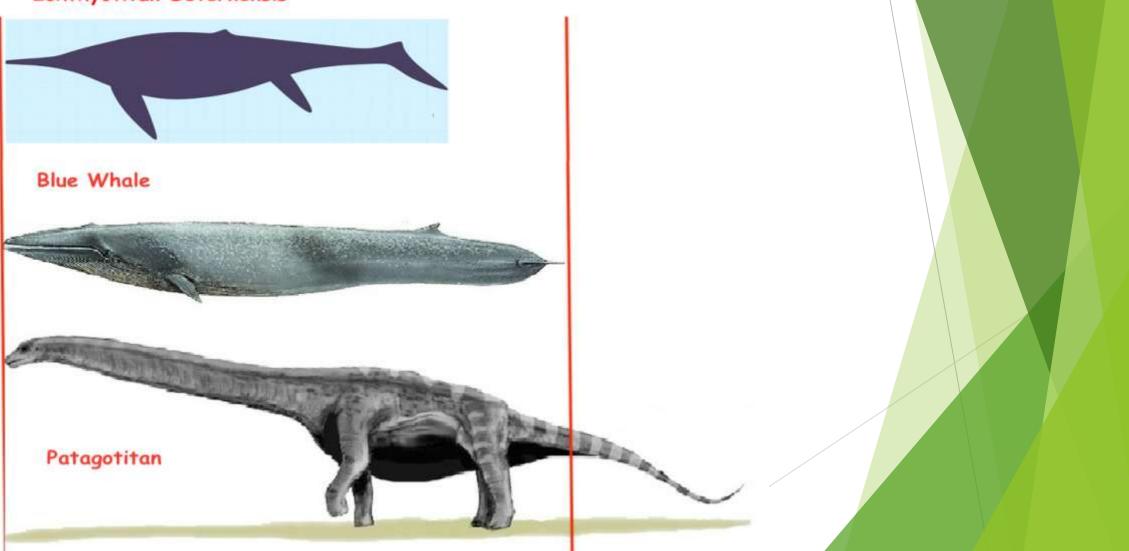
Megalodon





#### **Blue Whale and Recent Discoveries**

#### Ichthyotitan Severnensis





79 Foot Adult Female Blue Whale - Medium Size (5/27/17, Bolinas, CA - Blue Whales can be up to 100 feet long.)

#### **Blue Whale Skull**

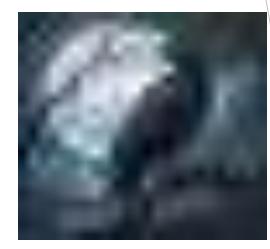




## **Other Talks**









#### See Whales - When, Where and How

 Take a whale watching boat out of San Francisco, Half Moon Bay, Santa Cruz, Moss Landing or Monterey.

Search the internet for "Whale Watching Boats".

As for whale watching boats: Almost anytime of year is good.

(Call ahead to see how good the whale watching is for your time.)

- Gray Whales: December through May
- Humpback Whales: April through October
- Blue Whales: June through September
- Shore viewing of Gray Whales: April to mid-May